

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Previously Presented) A method of controlling a print service provided over a network, comprising the steps of:

detecting first print setting information for a first print service;

detecting an upper limit of an amount designated by a user to be paid for the first print service;

determining second print setting information for a second print service in accordance with the first print setting information and the detected amount of the upper limit;

displaying the determined second print setting information; and

selecting an output server in accordance with the second print setting information.

2. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 1, further comprising a step of requesting provision of one of the first and second print services.

3. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 1, wherein said determining step determines whether a binding service is provided within the upper limit.

4. (Previously Presented) A system for controlling a print service provided over a network, comprising:

detecting means for detecting first print setting information for a first print service and for detecting an upper limit of an amount designated by a user to be paid for the first print service;

determining means for determining second print setting information for a second print service in accordance with the first print setting information and the detected amount of the upper limit;

display means for displaying the determined second print setting information; and

selecting means for selecting an output server in accordance with the second print setting information.

5. (Previously Presented) A system according to claim 4, further comprising requesting means for requesting provision of one of the first and second print services.

6. (Previously Presented) A system according to claim 4, wherein said determining means determines whether a binding service is provided within the upper limit.

7. (Currently Amended) A memory medium storing therein a program that, when executed by a computer, controls a print service provided over a network, the program comprising:

a step of detecting first print setting information for a first print service;

a step of detecting an upper limit of an amount designated by a user to be paid for the first print service;

a step of determining second print setting information for a second print service in accordance with the first print setting information and the detected amount of the upper limit;

a step of displaying the determined second print setting information; and

a step of selecting an output server in accordance with the second print setting information and outputting information to the selected server.

8. (Previously Presented) A memory medium according to claim 7, further comprising a step of requesting provision of one of the first and second print services.

9. (Previously Presented) A memory medium according to claim 7, wherein said determining step determines whether a binding service is provided within the upper limit.

10. to 42. (Canceled)

43. (Previously Presented) A print service control apparatus for controlling a print service provided over a network, comprising:

detecting means for detecting first print setting information for a first print service and for detecting an upper limit of a charge entered by a user for the first print service;

determining means for determining second print setting information for a second print service in accordance with the first print setting information and the upper limit of the charge;

output means for outputting the second print setting information determined by said determining means; and

selecting means for selecting an output server in accordance with the second print setting information.

44. (Previously Presented) An apparatus according to claim 43, further comprising priority acquiring means for acquiring user-designated priority levels, wherein said determining means determines the second print setting information according to the priority levels.

45. (Previously Presented) A print service control method for controlling a print service provided over a network, comprising the steps of:

detecting first print setting information for a first print service;

detecting an upper limit of a charge entered by a user for the first print service;

determining second print setting information for a second print service in accordance with the first print setting information and the upper limit of the charge;

outputting the second print setting information determined by said determining step; and

selecting an output server in accordance with the second print setting information.

46. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 45, further comprising a step of acquiring user-designated priority levels, wherein in said determining step, the second print setting information is determined according to the priority levels.

47. (Currently Amended) A computer-readable memory medium which stores a program that, when executed by a computer, controls a print service provided over a network, the program comprising:

a step of detecting first print setting information for a first print service;

a step of detecting an upper limit of a charge entered by a user for the first print service;

a step of determining second print setting information for a second print service in accordance with the first print setting information and the upper limit of the charge;

a step of outputting the second print setting information determined by said determining step; and

a step of selecting an output server in accordance with the second print setting information and outputting information to the selected server.

48. (Previously Presented) A computer-readable memory medium according to claim 47, the program further comprising an acquiring step of acquiring user-designated priority levels,

wherein the second print setting information is determined according to the priority levels.

49. (Previously Presented) A system for controlling a print service provided over a network, comprising:

a detector that detects first print setting information for a first print service and that detects an upper limit of an amount designated by a user to be paid for the first print service;

a determining device that determines second print setting information for a second print service in accordance with the first print setting information and the detected amount of the upper limit;

a display device that displays the determined second print setting information; and

a selector that selects an output server in accordance with the second print setting information.

50. (Previously Presented) A system according to claim 49, further comprising a requesting device that requests provision of one of the first and second print services.

51. (Previously Presented) A system according to claim 49, wherein said determining device determines whether a binding service is provided within the upper limit.

52. to 66. (Canceled)

67. (Previously Presented) A print service control apparatus for controlling a print service provided over a network, comprising:

a detecting device that detects first print setting information for a first print service and that detects an upper limit of a charge entered by a user for the first print service;

a determining device that determines second print setting information for a second print service in accordance with the first print setting information and the upper limit of the charge;

an output device that outputs the second print setting information determined by the determining device; and

a selecting device that selects an output server in accordance with the second print setting information.

68. (Previously Presented) An apparatus according to claim 67, further comprising a priority acquiring device that acquires user-designated priority levels, wherein said determining device determines the second print setting information according to the priority levels.